

Hearst interest, called at the Comptroller's office today, and his visit failed to elicit the instant suggestion that legal action might result from Mayor Day's address. The district attorney said to-night, however, that no steps looking toward such action had yet been taken through his office.

SPECIAL EVENTS

Railroad Y. M. C. A. Preparing to Increase Interest in Work.

Three special events are planned for the coming week at the railroad Y. M. C. A. Rev. Robert W. Forsyth, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal Church, will speak to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, his subject being "A Mother's Day Message." Every man is expected to wear a white carnation on a bow of white baby ribbon on the lapel of his coat during the day. The ribbon will be furnished at the association office.

On Monday the exhibit of the Traffic Club will be opened to both railroad men and the public. Several of the best views of railroad scenery in the world have been loaned for the occasion.

Thursday is Book Day at the association, when those who have readable books in their homes, to be loaned, out of service, and doing no one any good, will have an opportunity of presenting them to the association library.

CLYDE MELTON FOUND

Picked Up in Richmond as a Vagrant, Clyde Melton, who has been missing from his home in Glen Allen since April 15, was found in Richmond yesterday, and was picked up by an officer as a vagrant.

Melton is mentally afflicted, but his unbalance is said to be of a harmless nature, and he has never been violent. He has wandered away before, but has never stayed away for so long a time. Arrangements will be made this morning to turn him over to the care of his family.

CARRAWAY CASE WITH JURY.

Defense Offers No Evidence; Entire Day Given to Argument.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Newbern, N. C., April 29.—On the opening of Federal court this morning counsel for the defendant in the Carraway case announced that he would offer no evidence, and the entire day was taken up with the argument of counsel. For the defendant, William Johnston, Jr., is assisted by L. I. Moore, Jr., while the government is represented by Assistant District Attorney H. F. Sewell. The argument was concluded about 6 o'clock by Mr. Moore, and his Honor, Judge Connor at once began his charge. Judge Connor did not allow the jury to consider but one of the three counts of embezzlement—that of \$1,000. He asked the jury to divide the charges into three heads, and to render a verdict under each division. He asked that the counts be made under embezzlement, under misappropriation of funds, and under false entry, and that the jury be sworn under each of these charges. His Honor's charge was very fair to the defendant, and full and complete. The entire court room was packed all day, and the interest intense. A good part of the audience consisted of women, who have taken much interest in the trial. There is much calculation as to the verdict.

WILL TAKE CHARGE MAY 1.

J. Clarke Hoge Succeeds Clifford Nichols as Postmaster at Leesburg.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Leesburg, Va., April 29.—J. Clarke Hoge, of near Leesburg, who was recently appointed by President Taft as postmaster at Leesburg, to succeed N. Clifford Nichols, will take charge of the office on May 1. This appointment was not, however, made by the Senate. Democratic influence delayed the confirmation of his appointment in the interests of Paul W. Garrett, of Leesburg, who is a Democratic applicant, who had the endorsement of Senator Martin and Congressman Carlin. The office pays about \$2,000 a year. It is the best appointment of Federal patronage in Northern Virginia. The appointee is a son of W. T. Wood, a wealthy citizen of the county. His predecessor is a prominent lawyer.

New Clerk of Court Appointed.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Danville, Va., April 29.—Alec C. Edmunds, a prominent attorney of this city, was today appointed clerk of the United States district court, to succeed J. H. Maury, who died here suddenly about a month ago. For several years Mr. Edmunds has been commissioner of the courts here, and will resign this office in a few days to assume the clerkship of the court.

Will Appear in Oklahoma Court.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Danville, Va., April 29.—About fifteen subpoenas were served here by Deputy Marshal Statz to-day upon Danville people, summoning them to appear before the District Court of the United States in the Eastern District of Oklahoma to testify in behalf of the United States in a certain case now pending against Charles U. Haskell and other defendants.

Stone-Wood.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Roanoke, Va., April 29.—Albert D. Stone and Miss Carrie E. Wood, both of Bluefield, were married here this evening by Rev. E. L. Wolfe, pastor of Green Memorial M. E. Church. Miss Wood is a daughter of W. T. Wood, of Bluefield.

ELECTION WILL STAND.

Local Optimists in Danville Decide Not to Protest.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Danville, Va., April 29.—The executive committee of the Local Option League at a meeting held at 10 o'clock yesterday at the Temple decided not to contest the wet and dry election held here yesterday, in which 18 saloons were voted back by a vote of 10 to 8. This announcement was made by prominent dry leaders at the conclusion of the meeting. The ground was thoroughly gone over and discussed by the members of the committee before a decision was arrived at. Although the drys had entertained strong hopes of victory, they were deeply disappointed with the result, they are accepting their defeat gracefully, and the leaders expressed the hope that they will acquiesce in the will of the majority of the voters as expressed at the polls.

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TELLS OF DANGERS FROM LONG VIGILS

Strength of Commanders on Great Liners Often Overtaxed.

Boston, April 29.—Charges that bad steamship management overtaxes the strength of commanders of great liners at critical times and thereby endangers the lives of thousands of passengers are published in the May number of the Atlantic Monthly, issued today. "The Man on the Bridge" is the leading article. The author is vouched for by the magazine as an officer on a transatlantic liner. At one point he says:

"I have been left in charge of a liner carrying a crew of 500, 2,200 steerage passengers, and second class and about 300 first, in all about 3,000 souls. These, in addition to the valuable ship and freight, have been under my charge at a time when I have been from thirty to forty hours on my feet and without sleep or rest. The safety of all depended upon my vigilance at a time when soul, mind and body have long been worn out. One must walk, walk and get through somehow, and all this in waters crowded with shipping and where vessels are subjected to the whims of the tide. At no other time in their lives perhaps are passengers in such jeopardy."

In another place he refers to these dangers thus:

"Some years ago elaborate plans were drawn up for the safety of liners when called upon by the local steamship companies. These tracks, no doubt, are a good thing and do minimize the risks of an ocean passage, but the gravest and most unwarranted risks are taken when the liner is placed in the world—the English Channel and under the worst possible conditions."

He asserts plainly that some of the "faked" "from Sand Hook Light" is what is called "The Corned Beef" is 1,225 miles on the southern track on a straight course. Now suppose that for the sake of making a record a navigator chooses to leave the straight line and strike off miles from New York and to strike up north on a great circle track of his own, different from the one he is supposed to follow, he may save about 100 miles. Should he make a long cut and go only about 1,000 miles, instead of the official 1,225 miles, on his straight course from New York before striking north, his distance by the time he reaches the Fastnet would be much less than the official distance.

"This record," he says, "saves time, but the time on passage is divided into the official or greater distance to arrive at the average speed. Thus the time on passage will be correct, but the average speed based on the calculation that the whole official distance was traveled will be wrong."

"It is possible when vessels are on the southern track to make a big cut because the angle in the rhumb or straight line course is so acute. For the sake of a smart passage it is best to keep as far north as possible. The further north one keeps the shorter the distance in traveling between two points lying east and west."

"Knowing what goes on behind the scenes, I have no hesitation in declaring that the Canadian route is not to be relied upon. I do not believe for a moment, nor do the officers aboard her, that she made that average covering the official distance."

ROOSEVELT AT THE HAGUE

Ex-President Welcomed With Astonishing Demonstrations.

The Hague, April 29.—Theodore Roosevelt was welcomed here at midnight with astonishing demonstrations. The masses were waiting at the railway station, and when he alighted from the train they swept him along in a triumphal procession. The police were powerless to check the riotous rush in which numbers of persons were thrown to the ground.

For the American ambassador, whose wife was Miss Clover, of Washington, received Colonel Roosevelt on the railway platform in behalf of the government, and drove with him in a court equipage through the decorated streets of the city to the Hotel Des Indes, near the American legation.

Mrs. Roosevelt and Miss Ethel left Amsterdam on an earlier train, and already were here when Colonel Roosevelt arrived.

The great, orderly assemblage of townspeople remained outside long after Colonel Roosevelt had entered his hotel. Colonel Roosevelt came out upon a balcony and bowed to the multitude, who cheered him.

At 10 o'clock Colonel Roosevelt's visit to-day to the land of his forefathers, was a notable one. From the time that his train reached Rotterdam on the frontier, until he retired here to-night, the cordiality of the people towards him was remarkable. The people everywhere cheered him, and at Het Lee, Queen Wilhelmina and the Prince Consort and high personages of the realm welcomed him, and Her Majesty gave a luncheon in his honor.

When Colonel Roosevelt arrived at the home of Het Lee, the Prince Consort was standing on the front steps awaiting him. When the automobile containing the American party stopped, the Prince, without awaiting an introduction, shook the American ex-President's hand and assisted him to alight from the royal automobile which here brought his party from Arnhem. After meeting Mrs. Roosevelt, Miss Ethel and Kermit, the prince had them shown to their rooms, where they changed their clothes, and afterwards were received by the Queen in her small drawing room.

Colonel Roosevelt and his party spent about two hours at Het Lee and would have lingered longer had they not been compelled to catch an early train for Amsterdam.

Big Tract of Land Changes Hands.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Spotsylvania, Va., April 29.—The county of 500 acres of land in this county, known as the Gold Mine tract, has been purchased by the estate of Major W. S. Embrey, from Frederick W. Coleman, attorney for the owner, Gilbert B. Fox. The price paid was \$10,000.

CHINESE PRINCE HAS VERY BUSY DAY

In Whirlwind Fashion He Sees Sights of National Capital.

ORIENTALS EARLY RISERS

Navy Yard First Stopping Place on Day's Itinerary.

Washington, D. C., April 29.—Sight-seeing in whirlwind fashion and imbibing ideas at dizzy speed of the manners and customs of the United States government in conducting its affairs in Washington, Prince Tsai, member of the reigning house in China, this morning entered upon his second day as the guest of the nation's capital. The entire party was astir early at the New Willard, and before 10 o'clock their suits were entirely deserted. Because the prince is the chief in authority in military matters in China, and because his visit to the United States and his impending tour through Europe is intended to afford him opportunity to inspect the various military establishments, the War Department is attending closely to the wants of the royal visitor while he remains in the United States. Army officers detailed from the War Department, under the personal direction of Colonel Schuyler, are acting as bodyguard and as guides to the prince in this city.

Leaving the hotel this morning a flock of automobiles, carrying the entire party to the navy yard where the prince is to see the various processes incident to the manufacture of the big guns. Subsequently he was taken to the Library of Congress, where he was met by the librarian, the chief assistant librarian, the superintendent of the reading room, and various chiefs of divisions, who escorted him through the structure. The balance of Prince Tsai's morning was devoted to visits to the Bureau of Fisheries, the Bureau of Standards, the Smithsonian Institution, and the Capitol and other points of interest.

At the Capitol Prince Tsai watched the proceedings of Congress with great interest. His party first visited the House and occupied the first row of the diplomatic gallery. Back of them were their escorts, Chairman Foster, of the House Committee on Foreign Affairs; Assistant Secretary of State Chandler Hale, General Schuyler and several State Department attaches. Brief stays were made in each branch of Congress.

Prince Tsai was much interested and nodded as the leading figures on the floor of the House or Senate were pointed out to him. The prince met Speaker Cannon, and was disappointed to learn that Vice-President Sherman was out of town.

Guest of Knox at Luncheon. At luncheon to-day the prince was entertained at the residence of Secretary of State Knox, and at 2:30 o'clock he started on his afternoon's sight-seeing for Mount Vernon, where he placed a wreath on the tomb of Washington.

The strenuous day closed with a dinner at the residence of the Chinese minister this evening, at which the prince was the honored guest.

A part of the plans for the entertainment of Prince Tsai and his party to-morrow includes a trip to Annapolis and a close inspection of the campaign of the Wilderness, Spotsylvania, and Gettysburg. The prince and his party will be accompanied by General Lee, who has been consulted by the Chinese government as to the best way to visit the battlefields.

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He had decided literary talents, and wrote on the war, railroad service, and his book, "Military Men of a Confederate," published in 1907, is regarded as one of the best critical histories of the Civil War. Personally he was a charming man, genial and companionable, and endeared himself to those under him and associated with him. He was married here, his first wife was Miss Mason, of Virginia, and his second was the daughter of Dr. A. S. Mason, of Hagerstown, Md.

Born in Georgia in 1835, he was graduated at West Point in 1857, and served as instructor at the Military Academy, and as adjutant, quartermaster, and later as captain, under General Albert Sidney Johnston, and on the Pacific coast.

He resigned from the United States Army on May 1, 1861, and was appointed captain in the Engineer Corps of the Confederate army. He was assigned to the Signal Corps, and served under Beauregard at Manassas, and discovered the turning movement of McDowell, and his prompt report of it resulted in the capture of the measures taken to meet it.

When General Joseph E. Johnston took command of the army, Alexander was appointed chief of ordnance, and as such served in the Seven Days' Battles before Richmond, Second Manassas and Sharpsburg. He was then appointed to the command of a battalion of artillery, six batteries, with twenty-six guns, which had been commandeered by General Lee (afterwards Lieutenant-General), which was thereafter known as "Alexander's Battalion," and attained great renown in the army. This battalion, with the better-known Washington Artillery, of New Orleans, constituted the reserve (unattached) artillery.

At the battle of Chancellorsville he performed conspicuous service. In addition to his military duties, he was in various places, he was selected by General Stuart, who commanded his corps after the death of Jackson, to find a place to "get the enemy." After a night spent in reconnoitering, he found the position at Hazel Grove, where the fire of a concentration of guns the next morning, in the words of a historian of the battle, "determined the fate of the campaign."

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After Chickamauga the battalion went with Longstreet's army through Georgia, Alabama and Tennessee, Alexander being the senior artillery officer.

When the corps returned to Virginia Alexander was made brigadier-general and chief of artillery of the corps. He served in that capacity through the campaign of the Wilderness, Spotsylvania, and Gettysburg. His service was distinguished, and he was more consulted by General Lee than any other artillery officer. He was wounded in front of Petersburg in 1864, while actively engaged in the defense of the city.

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Chastain T. Hill, for nearly twenty years a citizen of Richmond, died yesterday morning at his residence, 414 South Pine Street. For many years Mr. Hill was connected with the house of John Bowers, for so long one of Richmond's leading numbers. During the war he was employed at the arsenal where he was in charge of the Southern soldiers' ammunition for the Southern soldiers was made, and was a member of the "Home Guard." He is survived by his widow and three children—William H. Hill, of the Virginia Military Institute; Walter C. Hill, president of the Evans Press, and Miss Annie L. Hill.

The funeral will take place this afternoon at 3 o'clock from Pine Street Baptist Church, and the pallbearers will be Mr. Hill, Mr. W. J. Kincaid, Mac Goode and Dr. Michael, honorary, and Henry Carter, Frank Perkins, M. W. Wilkinson, J. H. Rogers, T. S. Gary, Stonewall Wright and Thomas Jenkins, active.

Mr. Hill had been a member of Pine Street Church for many years, and had the distinction of being the oldest living member of its Sunday school. The interment will be in Riverview Cemetery.

George William Gaddy. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Williamsburg, Va., April 29.—George William Gaddy died at his home near Totopotomoy, this morning, at 3 o'clock, after a long illness. He was stricken with paralysis Wednesday morning, and never rallied from the attack. Mr. Gaddy was the oldest son of the late Captain George E. Gaddy and Lucy E. Henley Gaddy, and was born in James City, sixty-two years ago. He was a member of the Confederate War as a member of the famous James City Artillery, being one of the youngest in the company. For many years he was an employee of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company.

His wife, who was Miss Curtis, of James City, he is survived by two young daughters, and the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. S. S. Hanks, Mrs. R. B. Hanks, Mrs. S. S. Hanks, all of James City; and T. H. Gaddy, Circuit Court clerk; John M. Gaddy, cashier of the Peninsula Bank, at Totopotomoy; E. Gaddy, of this city; and E. L. Gaddy, of Keswick.

The funeral will take place to-morrow morning, at 10 o'clock, from the Olive Branch Church, of which he had been a member for many years.

Funeral of Miss Riker. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Bowling Green, Va., April 29.—The remains of Miss Irene Riker, daughter of the late Thomas C. Riker and Mary E. Riker, of this county, who died in Richmond at the home of her niece, on last Wednesday, were brought here yesterday morning, at 3 o'clock, after a day's journey. The funeral services were conducted at the grave. She is survived by two sisters—Mrs. R. B. Riker, of this city, and Mrs. Margaret Wise, of Culpeper.

Mrs. Susan Hucks. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Charlottesville, Va., April 29.—Mrs. Susan Hucks, aged thirty-seven years, died at an early hour of the morning, at her home, where she was brought for treatment last week. Her

remains were taken to-day to her late home at Earlysville, in the northern part of the county, for interment. Her husband and several children survive.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Frederickburg, Va., April 29.—J. Blake Chew, formerly of this city, died last night at his home, near Thoroughfare, in Prince William county. He was afflicted with a brief illness, aged sixty years. He is survived by